

## PLATT HAS SEEN HANNA AND WON.

Regular Organization as Represented by T. C. P.  
Is on Top.

The Autocrat of McKinleyism  
Will Take No Risks with  
"Irregulars."

Only Sop Offered to the Anti-Platt  
Forces Is Said to Be the Promise  
of Some Funds.

MILHOLLANDITES IN THE HALLWAY.

It Was a Self-Assured Trio That Waited Upon  
the Cleveland Boss, Consisting, Besides  
Mr. Platt, of Messrs. Lauterbach  
and Hackett.

Thomas C. Platt and Mark Hanna now  
understand one another and if anybody in  
the future says anything against Mr.  
Hanna in Mr. Platt's hearing the latter  
will resent it.

Mr. Hanna had the usual little things to  
fret him during the day. He was forced to  
listen to the "hard luck" stories of a num-  
ber of persons anxious to take the stump  
for McKinley and sound money, particu-  
larly the latter. Then there was the col-  
ored citizen, who, after Mr. Hanna had  
arrived at his headquarters, insisted upon  
seeing him and explaining just where he  
stood in the campaign. In this manner the  
boss engineer of the Republicans spent the  
morning.

While not actively engaged Mr. Hanna  
doubtless wondered whether Mr. Platt  
would accept his invitation and call. He  
had Mr. Platt's acceptance to his invita-  
tion, but had heard that the New York boss  
changed his mind occasionally, and he won-  
dered if he changed it often on Saturday.

The appointment was for 3 p. m., and  
five minutes before that hour Mr. Platt,  
Mr. Lauterbach and Mr. Hackett arrived.  
Mr. Hanna had reached headquarters a few  
minutes before, and after a conversation  
with "Plunger" Walton was prepared to  
take any chances. Mr. Platt and his two  
lieutenants bowed to the gathering outside  
of the committee rooms, and as they en-  
tered doffed their hats, which were gray  
fedoras, with black bands, while they shook  
hands with Garret A. Hobart. Mr. Hobart  
was glad to see them, and ushered them  
into the presence of Mr. Hanna.

**SIMPLY A LOVE FEAST.**  
It was a love feast from the beginning  
to finish. Mr. Platt presented Mr. Lauter-  
bach, and sat down while Mr. Lauterbach  
tendered his services and placed the Coun-  
ty Committee at the disposal of the Cleve-  
land man. Mr. Hackett, who had re-  
newed his part, then laid the State Com-  
mittee at the feet of the chairman of the  
National Committee, while Mr. Platt sat  
by, and by his glances said, "That's me."  
Mr. Hanna was most cordial in his greet-  
ing of the gentlemen, and said that he  
appreciated the motives that prompted  
them to act as they had done. He talked  
with them with exceeding kindness, and  
assured them that the organization was  
the only thing he recognized.

The word money was not used during the  
conversation, but it was understood.

The understanding was perfectly satisfac-  
tory to the callers who remained and talked  
about the opening of the campaign and the  
prospects throughout the State. It was  
shown to Mr. Hanna that the only silver  
sentiment in the State was in the counties  
that were not Platt counties, while in the  
Platt counties, where the organization con-  
trolled and run things, the cry was "gold  
and protection."

**MILHOLLANDITES REMAINED OUTSIDE.**

While Hanna, Platt, Lauterbach, Hobart  
and Hackett conferred, several of the Mil-  
holland crowd stood outside and made re-  
marks. Colonel Lovell Jerome, who was in  
the ante room, separated from the confer-  
ence by a couple of heavy oaken doors,  
seemed to be very much put out. When  
asked what he had to say, Mr. Jerome said:  
"We can beat our enemies, but now we  
are forced to fight our friends."

When Platt and Chairman Lauterbach  
and Hackett left the room the three were  
very affable, but refused to discuss what  
had occurred inside. Mr. Lauterbach said:  
"It was just as if we had all sat down  
together to have a good long talk. Every-  
thing was lovely." Mr. Hanna is a very  
nice, affable gentleman, who is perfectly  
qualified to be at the head of a national  
committee. He understands the political  
situation throughout the country very thor-  
oughly."

Mr. Hanna then announced that he would  
see the newspaper men. He said that Mr.  
Platt and himself and Chairman Lauter-  
bach, of the County Committee, and Chair-  
man Hackett, of the State Committee, had  
had a conference in regard to the State  
campaign. "This," he said, "is the first  
conference we have had. In fact, it is the  
first opportunity I have had to confer with  
the gentlemen. We have arranged that the  
campaign, so far as concerns the State and  
the city, shall be under the direction of the  
State and County committees, and that the  
regular organization will have charge of the  
campaign."

**KNOWS OF NO INDEPENDENT ORGANIZA-  
TIONS.**  
Mr. Hanna was asked what was to be-  
come of the independent organizations, and  
he replied: "I do not know of any inde-  
pendent organizations. We are all Repub-  
licans."

He was then asked what would become of  
such Republican organizations as were not  
at present affiliating with the regular or-  
ganization, and said: "I do not know. I  
am not answering any such questions, and  
not propose to be waded into any  
fight."

Mr. Hanna's remark in regard to the  
campaign being under the direction of the  
regular organization puts a quietus to a  
Milholland faction. It was said at a  
conference by interested Republi-  
cans. Mr. Hanna had conferred with Mr.  
Whitelaw Reid and others interest-

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CHEERY OPENING OF THE HANNA CAMPAIGN.

Extract from Mr. Reed's Maine speech: "How very suddenly all this rush and stir has set itself into action. Two months ago no man of any standing would have risked his reputation as a prophet by hinting the slightest doubt of Republican success."

## LITTLE SHE DEVIL CAUGHT ON THE FLY.

"I'm Going to Jump," She  
Cried, and Down She  
Leaped, Thirty Feet.

Saved from Destruction by a  
Snake Hill Convict Working  
in the Quarry.

Hurt the Man, but the Prankish Girl  
Skipped Unharm'd into the  
Swamps.

TOOK FIFTY BOYS TO CAPTURE HER.

Sarah Lefalks Is Only Thirteen Years Old,  
but She Is Too Devilish for the Alms-  
house—Not Wanted by  
Any One.

Sarah Lefalks, thirteen years old, was  
committed to the Hudson County (N. J.)  
Alms-house several weeks ago because her  
relatives failed to provide for her. Yester-  
day she was returned to her uncle's house,  
Fifth and Monmouth streets, Jersey City.  
During her stay at the Alms-house she kept  
the place in a ferment. Trick after trick  
was played by her upon the other inmates,  
until Warden Ryan fairly lost patience and  
threatened to place the girl in confinement.  
For several days she was quiet, but on  
Thursday last she again started in to worry  
the officials. In the afternoon she ap-  
peared at the top of the quarry, and looking  
down upon the penitentiary convicts at  
work, thirty-five feet below, sang out: "I'm  
going o jump. You can catch me if you  
wan."

"God's sake, don't!" shouted the  
But she jumped.  
Her named Wilkins caught her in  
Sarah escaped injury, but Wil-  
kins hurt, and has since been in

**BOYS IN PURSUIT.**  
Being caught by the con-  
victs of the quarry pit and  
toward Jersey City.  
tified and after a  
overtook her. She  
Alms-house and  
office.  
climbing  
grass in



BRYAN AND SEWALL'S PORTRAITS DISPLAYED IN FRONT OF TAMMANY HALL.

## ALL APPLAUD TAMMANY'S ACT.

Democrats Declare Its In-  
dorsement Has Solidi-  
fied the Party.

Bryan, Through the Journal, Ex-  
presses Thanks for the Wig-  
wam's Loyalty.

Leaders Claim Its Indorsement Will  
Greatly Strengthen the De-  
mocracy in the West.

CHICAGO IS READY TO FOLLOW.

The Cook County Organization Will Declare  
Its Fealty to the Free Silver Can-  
didates—Enthusiasm  
in St. Louis.

In order to discover how the indorse-  
ment by Tammany Hall of the can-  
dates chosen at the Chicago Con-  
vention has been received by the De-  
mocrats of this country, the Journal  
for an expression of opinion from  
leaders in various sections.

The replies received indicate clearly  
that the action of the New York De-  
mocratic organization has met with wide-  
spread approval. In every case the  
answer has been that such loyalty to  
the Democratic party was expected of  
the largest political association in this  
country.

Especially in the West has the en-  
thusiasm of the Democracy been  
aroused by the declaration of the New  
York party men that they will heartily  
support the cause of Bryan and free  
silver. Both in Chicago and in St.  
Louis the Democrats vigorously ap-  
plaud the Tiger's stand.

All unite in declaring that the Wig-  
wam's indorsement, coming just at  
this time, will have most  
effect upon the Democrats in the West.  
As one leader expresses it, it will drive  
the Western gold Democrats back into  
the party, and will keep those in the  
East from deserting it for a third  
ticket or for McKinley.

The universal opinion is that the  
Democratic party in the West has been  
solidified by the Tammany declaration  
for Bryan in New York. All declare  
that it means harmony in the party  
and victory at the polls in November.

## BRYAN MUCH GRATIFIED.

The Democratic Candidate Is Pleased at the Pledge Given to  
Him by Tammany Hall of Its  
Cordial Support.

Lincoln, Neb., August 1.

To W. R. Hearst, New York Journal:

I am very much gratified to learn of the action taken by  
the Tammany Democrats.

Please express my appreciation of their cordial support.

WILLIAM J. BRYAN.

## TAMMANY IS LOYAL, SAYS BLAND.

Its Indorsement of the Ticket a Notification to the World That  
the New York Democracy Will Be in Line with the  
Great Uprising of the People.

Lebanon, Mo., August 1

To W. R. Hearst, New York Journal:

The action of Tammany Hall Democrats in indorsing the nomi-  
nations of the Democratic candidates for President and Vice-President  
proves the loyalty of that organization to the Democratic party. It is  
a notification to the world that New York Democrats realize that for  
the future Democracy means something more than fighting over the  
past. It means that the Democracy of New York will be in line with  
the great uprising of the people to secure to themselves a government  
of Democracy without the rule of plutocracy.

R. P. BLAND, Ex-Congressman from Missouri.

## WILLIAMS QUOTES SENATOR HILL.

He Says That Tammany Hall Is Now in Accord with  
New York Leader's Expressed Indignation at the  
"Rapacity of the Gold Monometallists."

Newport, Vt., August 1.

To W. R. Hearst, New York Journal:

I am much pleased with the reported action of Tammany. They have come  
to feel and see as did David B. Hill when he uttered these words: "I am  
indignant at the rapacity of the gold monometallists, so reckless of both science  
and of public opinion." The bimetallic coinage is the demand of a vast ma-  
jority of the people. To restore it safely, finally and wisely is the mission of  
the Democratic party.

They are also now in accord with Senator Hill's sentiments at Albany De-  
cember 30, 1891, which were as follows: "New York Democrats will never  
support any Federal money legislation, save that which promotes the nation's